Title: Request the Central Government to take action on the issue of UGC""s pay scale to college teachers of Orissa.

SHRI ANADI SAHU (BERHAMPUR, ORISSA): Sir, I would like to invite the attention of the Central Government, and particularly the Ministry of Human Resource Development, to the disquiet among the college teachers of Orissa. The college teachers are supposed to get the University Grants Commission's pay scale but in Orissa, they have not got it and for the last four days, they have been demonstrating in front of the Secretariat of Orissa . The UGC has not released the funds and the Central Government has also not indicated the modalities on which the pay scales are to be fixed for them in Orissa. Sir, through you, I would request the Central Government to take action on this issue immediately.

SHRI BHARTRUHARI MAHTAB (CUTTACK): Sir, I would also associate with Shri Anadi Sahu on this issue.